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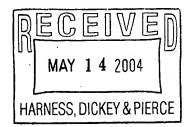
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**CONFIRMATION NO. 9162** 

**FORMALITIES LETTER** 

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### NOTICE TO FILE MISSING PARTS OF NONPROVISIONAL APPLICATION

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#### Items Required To Avoid Abandonment:

An application number and filing date have been accorded to this application. The item(s) indicated below, however, are missing. Applicant is given TWO MONTHS from the date of this Notice within which to file all required items and pay any fees required below to avoid abandonment. Extensions of time may be obtained by filing a petition accompanied by the extension fee under the provisions of 37 CFR 1.136(a).

- The statutory basic filing fee is missing. Applicant must submit \$ 770 to complete the basic filing fee for a non-small entity. If appropriate, applicant may make a written assertion of entitlement to small entity status and pay the small entity filing fee (37 CFR 1.27).
- The oath or declaration is missing. A properly signed oath or declaration in compliance with 37 CFR 1.63, identifying the application by the above Application Number and Filing Date, is required.
- To avoid abandonment, a late filing fee or oath or declaration surcharge as set forth in 37 CFR 1.16(e) of \$130 for a non-small entity, must be submitted with the missing items identified in this letter.
- The application was filed in a language other than English. Applicant is required to provide an English translation of the specification and a statement that the translation is accurate. (See 37 CFR 1.52(d)).
- Applicant must file an English translation of the application, the \$ 130 fee set forth in 37 CFR 1.17(i), unless previously submitted, and a statement that the translation is accurate (37 CFR 1.52(d)).

The application is informal since it does not comply with the regulations for the reason(s) indicated below.

The required item(s) identified below must be timely submitted to avoid abandonment:

- Replacement drawings in compliance with 37 CFR 1.84 and 37 CFR 1.121 are required. The drawings submitted are not acceptable because:
  - The drawing figures contain text that is not in English (including, for example, a flow chart that was originally not in English that has been marked up to include the English text) (see 37 CFR 1.84(p)(2) and 37 CFR 1.52(d)(1)). See Figure(s) 1 - 5.

# **SUMMARY OF FEES DUE:**

Total additional fee(s) required for this application is \$1030 for a Large Entity

- \$770 Statutory basic filing fee.
- \$130 Late oath or declaration Surcharge.
- \$130 for English translation surcharge required.

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PATENT 1224-000003/US

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Applicant:

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**IMAGE DEVICE** 

#### THIS IS NOT A NEW PATENT APPLICATION

LETTER SUBMITTING DOCUMENTS FOR COMPLETION OF AN APPLICATION PURSUANT TO 35 U.S.C. §371

#### MAIL STOP MISSING PARTS

Commissioner for Patents P.O. Box 1450 Alexandria, VA 22313-1450 August 13, 2004

Sir:

The application papers for the above-identified application were originally filed on November 24, 2003 and the application was assigned Application No. 10/719,015.

	$\boxtimes$	Under the provisions of 37 C.F.R. §§ 1.41(c) and 1.53(f), attached hereto is the
executed	i Decla	ration of the inventor(s)( $igtie {igtie}$ original $igcap {igcap}$ photocopy), necessary for completing the
filing re	quirem	ents in connection with the above-identified application.

	Under the provisions of 37 C.F.R. §§ 1.41(c) and 1.53(f), attached hereto is the
executed Dec	laration that was attached to the specification at the time of execution. The attached
specification	is a true copy of the specification that was filed in the U.S. Patent and Trademark
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page 1 of th	e inven	tors' Declaration	on, filed on August 13, 2004, corresponds to Appl. No.				
10/719,015, filed November 24, 2003, entitled "IMAGE DEVICE."							
$\boxtimes$	Attacl	Attached are <u>four (4)</u> sheet(s) of formal drawings.					
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$\boxtimes$		Attached is a copy of the Notice to File Missing Parts of Nonprovisional Application.					
The Government Filing Surcharge (37 C.F.R. § 1.16(e)) and the basic Government Filing							
Fee (37 C.F.R. § 1.16(a)-(d)) (if applicable) is attached hereto and calculated as follows:							
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		Surcharge	(\(\sum \) Large Entity - \$130.00; \(\sum \) Small Entity - \$ 65.00)				
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		Attached hereto is a Statement Claiming Small Entity Status (  original photocopy).					
	$\boxtimes$		ncurrently herewith <b>under separate cover</b> is an Assignment.				
	No ex	tension fee is r	equired because the undersigned has filed the documents				
within the all	lotted tir	ne given by the	U.S. Patent and Trademark Office. However, if for some				
reason it is c	determin	ed that an exte	ension of time is necessary, applicant hereby respectfully				
petitions for	an exte	nsion of time for	or the filing of the present paper in accordance with the				
provisions of 37 C.F.R. § 1.136 and 37 C.F.R. § 1.17							

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Applicant hereby respectfully petitions for a <u>one</u> (1) month(s) extension of time for the filing of the present paper in accordance with the provisions of 37 C.F.R. § 1.136 and 37 C.F.R. § 1.17. The required fee of \$110.00 is attached hereto.

A check in the amount of \$1,140.00 to cover the basic filing fee, surcharge fee, and any extension of time fees (if applicable) is enclosed.

Please charge Deposit Account No. 08-0750 in the amount of \$0.00. A triplicate copy of this transmittal form is enclosed.

If necessary, the Commissioner is hereby authorized in this, concurrent, and future replies, to charge payment or credit any overpayment to Deposit Account No. 08-0750 for any additional fee required under 37 C.F.R. §§ 1.16 or 1.17; particularly, extension of time fees.

Respectfully submitted,

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Attachments: As stated above.